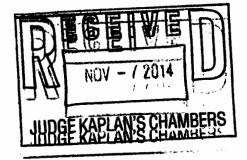


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Dear Judge Kaplan

Letters of Request (Letters Rogatory) dated 2 October 2013, 18 February 2014, 22 April 2014 and 30 April 2014 in the cases of Khalid Al Fawwaz (a.k.a. Khaled Abdulrahman Hamad Al-Fawaz) and Adel Abdel Bary (Abdel Mohamed Abd-Al Bari)

On September 3, 2014, in consequence of your kind invitation, I, together with Mukul Chawla QC appeared in the Southern District of New York. The portion of the proceedings in which Mr Chawla addressed the court were sealed.

We respectfully ask that this Court maintain the transcript under seal with the exception that it is unsealed for the limited purpose of permitting the Home Office to reference the substance of those discussions in a closed submission to the High Court in London in connection with the Secretary of State's application for a Closed Material Procedure in the United Kingdom that relates to subjects discussed during the sealed portions of the September 3 proceeding.

In all other respects, and for the reasons previously stated on the record on September 3, 2014, the Home Office respectfully requests that the transcript of those September 3 proceedings and the matters discussed during those proceedings remain under seal.



Yours sincerely

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